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FOLLOWING REPEAT ALGIERS 2490, ACTION SECSTATE INFO ABU
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KISHASA, KUWAIT, LONDON, MOSCOW, PARIS, NOUAKCHOTT, RABAT,
TEL AVIV, TRIPOLI, TUNIS, USUN, USCINCEUR, NOVEMBER 28TH:

QUOTE

C O N F I D E N T I A L ALGIERS 2490

E.O. 11652: GDS

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SUBJ: ARAB SUMMIT ENDS

DEPARTMENT PASS CAIRO AND OTHER POSTS AS DESIRED

1. ARAB SUMMIT ENDED 1315 NOV. 28 AFTER OPN SESSION
SPEECHES BY BOUMEDIENE, BOURGUIBA, ASSAD, SADAT AND HASSAN.
OUR INITIAL IMPRESSION IS THAT, WITH SUPPORT OF FAYSAL
AND BOUMEDIENE, SADAT GOT WHAT HE WANTED, WITH ONLY
MINOR VARIATIONS TO ACCOMMODATE MORE MILITANT VIEWS.
ALTHOUGH
PLO WAS RECOGNIZED AS SOLE REPRSENTATIVE OF
PALESTINIAN PEOPLE, ARAFAT HAS THUS FAR REMAINED IN BACK-
GROUND AND NOTHING HAS BEEN SAID OFFICIALLY THAT WOULD
NECESSARILY PREJUDICE GENEVA PEACE CONFERENCE.

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2. FINAL SPEECHES WERE NOTABLE FOR THEIR LACK OF

SUBSTANCE WITH BOUMEDIENE LARGELY REPEATING HIS OPENING STATEMENT, BOURGUIBA RECITING HIS WELL-KNOWN VIEWS ON PALESTINIAN ISSUE AND ASSAD, SADAT AND HASSAN STRESSING ARAB UNITY, EXTOLLING ARAB VIRTUES AND PRAISING ALGERIAN HOSTS. NO SPEAKER WENT BEYOND STANDARD CALL FOR EVACUATION OF OCCUPIED TERRITORIES AND REESTABLISHMENT OF PALESTINIAN NATIONAL RIGHTS.

3. USE OF OIL WEAPON WAS ENDORSED BUT POLICY WAS NOT DEFINED.

4. LEBANESE AMBASSADOR ITANI WHO WAS IN LEBANESE DELEGATION PROBABLY SUMMED UP CONFERENCE ACCURATELY WHEN HE TOLD ME AFTER FINAL SSSION THAT "EVERYTHING WENT WELL AND ACCORD- ING TO PLAN".

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